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Sir,

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The applicant respectfully submits for the consideration of the examiner to the above Office action.

The applicant elects Group 1 directed to claims 1-21 and 31-38.

I. Title

No change

II. Abstract

No Change

III. Drawings and Specification

No Change

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IV. Claims

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